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## OATH TAKEN BY POSSUM HUNTERS

At Altar Of Guns, Halter  
and Strap,

SAYS WITNESS SILAS JENKINS

Sensational Testimony Of  
One Who Was a Member  
Of the "Lodge."

PRES JENKINS ALSO WITNESS

Bowling Green, Ky., Jan. 14.—The cruel and inhuman punishment inflicted upon their victims, together with the workings of the organized band of "possum hunters" in Butler and Muhlenberg counties, were revealed here at the trial of George Sweezer, one of the men under indictment in Butler county. The cases were transferred to Warren county on a change of venue.

The case of Sweezer is the second of nine cases to come before the court here. Pres C. Jenkins, the leader in his immediate locality, already has been convicted and is under a four-year sentence.

The sensation of the two trials came when Silas Jenkins, one of the men under indictment, told on the stand of the workings of the "lodge" known as the "Amalgamated Order of the World," better known in Muhlenberg county as "possum hunters." He stated in substance that the oath administered required "obedience to all orders of the president of the local, whenever and wherever given, either night or day, attendance at all meetings when called, except when sickness prevented," and an injunction, "not to reveal any secrets or work of the organization."

This oath, he said, was taken upon bended knees before an altar of pistols, rope, halter and a strap. The candidate was given to understand that the pistols and the halter were for those on the inside should they violate their oaths, and the strap for outside work. The symbol of membership was a small safety pin worn on the left lapel of the coat, signifying "safety first."

There were signs of various kinds. One was known as the "courthouse," consisting of the rubbing of a left hand on the left lapel of the coat. This sign was for use in the courtroom and used as a signal to a juror that the prisoner at the bar was a member of the order, thus giving him protection, Jenkins said. Used in this instance, the juror was to use his utmost to clear the prisoner, and it was his duty to do so. The grip was the grasping of the little finger of the right hand. When meeting in the woods, as a sign of recognition in the dark, the word code was "Hay, hoe."

Jenkins stated that the order originally was started in August, 1914, for the purpose of bettering prices for the products of the farm, the advancing of the interests of the farmers in general and the amicable settlement of disputes between members, and that the night-riding features were brought into Butler from Muhlenberg county.

Pres C. Jenkins, who is still here in jail awaiting the mandate of the Court of Appeals, which affirmed the Warren Circuit Court, was introduced by the Commonwealth. He said he was president of his local, which had 14 members. At his trial last fall he denied any connection with the night riders or any whippings, but to-day admitted having taken part in three raids, at the last of which, he said, some eight or ten were whipped.

Jim Ray, negro, the main witness for the Commonwealth, told of the treatment received by him at the hands of alleged "possum hunters." In substance he said: "I was awakened about 2 o'clock in the morning of the first Saturday in November, 1914, by the breaking in of my door. A large number of men, with masks and carrying guns, entered, came to my bed and told me they wanted me and to come along. I got up, and they seized me and led me, clad in only my nightclothes and barefooted, to a telephone pole some 400 yards from my house. They told me they were going to hang me, and I did not have this. I then was

told to hug the pole, and my hands were strapped to it. A negro then rolled my night shirt to my shoulders, and the whip was applied unmercifully to my naked skin. It was a strap four inches wide. They told me they were going to apply the whip 160 times, and I guess they did, at least I felt like it was applied that many times, and it was six months before I fully recovered from that fearful beating.

"How many were in the crowd?" he was asked.

"I don't know. There were a great many. They said there were 1,000. There must have been 300 or 400."

"What did they do after whipping you?"

"One man led me toward my house and a number followed. I was told to go home."

"What did the rest do?"

"They disbanded, some going one way and some another."

"Were you blindfolded?"

"Yes, when they led me from the house a handkerchief was placed about my eyes, but I could see."

"Did you recognize any one?"

Here the witness answered in the affirmative, naming most of the men under indictment.

"How did you recognize them?"

"I could see them, and then I knew their voices. I have known some of them all my life."

The developments of the day were the most sensational in the history of the county, and the nature of the oath and the workings and signs of the "possum hunters" were revealed for the first time in any court in this section.

Year and a Day For Sweezer.

Bowling Green, Ky., Jan. 14.—The jury in the case of George Sweezer, a farmer, of Huntsville, Butler county, charged with whipping Jim Ray, a negro, of Rochester, on November 7, 1914, brought in a verdict finding him guilty and fixing his punishment at one year and a day in the penitentiary.

This is the second conviction in alleged "possum hunters" of Butler county, the other one being Pres C. Jenkins, who was given four years and a day at the April term, 1915, for the whipping of the Webster family.

It is understood four were for acquittal, while some were for the full extent of the law—fifteen years.

Liven Up Your Torpid Liver.

To keep your liver active use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They insure good digestion, relieve constipation, and tone up the whole system—keep your eye clear and your skin fresh and healthy looking. Only 25c at your druggists.

MAN WHO KILLED BOY  
GETS 8-YEAR SENTENCE

New Castle, Ky., Jan. 14.—Henry Brierly, sixty-eight years old, was found guilty by a jury in the Henry Circuit Court here to-day of the murder of Leonard Pollard, a youth of twenty, at Lockport, this county, in 1905, and sentenced to serve eight years in the penitentiary.

Brierly, according to the testimony, fled the country after the killing, and a woman, with whom he is alleged to have been living in Texas, gave him up to the officers. Brierly left a wife at Lockport. The Henry county Sheriff brought him back to this place, where he was lodged in jail.

Young Pollard was in a fight with a son of Brierly, when, according to witnesses at the trial, Brierly shot the lad, who was unarmed.

A dry, hacking cough is hard on the lungs, often causing them to bleed. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is a healing balm that quickly repairs damage in the lungs and air passages. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Wilbur Mitchell, Beaver Dam.

Lucky She Didn't Hear.

Jones observed an old lady sitting across the room.

"For heaven's sake," he remarked to Robinson, "who is that extraordinarily ugly woman there?"

"That," answered Robinson coldly, "is my wife."

Jones was taken back, but quickly recovered himself.

"Well," he said persuasively, "you just ought to see mine."

Constipation and Indigestion.

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good." writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington, N. C. Obtainable everywhere.

## LAW TO RESTRICT AMERICAN TRAVEL

Is Urged By Bryan In the  
Commoner.

WOULD NOT PERMIT VESSELS

Bearing Citizens Of This  
Country To Get Clear-  
ance Or Land.

MENACES THE NATION'S PEACE

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 14.—W. J. Bryan calls on Congress to enact without delay a law which will prevent American clearance or entry of belligerent ships that carry American passengers.

Further, until such a law is in effect, he would restrain Americans from traveling on such ships. A signed editorial appearing in the present issue of the Commoner contains Mr. Bryan's opinion of the sinking of the Persia. It says:

"The sinking of the Persia, which has brought to our overburdened President a new embarrassment, and to the jingo press a new opportunity to shed their red ink on imaginary battlefields, calls for immediate action by Congress—not a declaration of war, but a measure of protection against war."

"American citizens should not be permitted to travel on belligerent ships. Why should an American, by his foolhardiness, drag his country into war or even to the verge of a diplomatic break? If he has no consideration for his own safety or for his Government's welfare, he should be restrained by law."

"What would we think of a citizen who, in time of riot, insisted on mingling with the mob while the Mayor was trying to restore order? Little attention would be paid to his right to walk the streets at such a time."

"And so to-day, when the world is in a riot, when Europe is a slaughter house, and when the blood of the slain reddens the sea beyond the three-mile limit—this is no time for Americans to talk about the assertion of rights in such a way as to menace the Nation's peace. It is time to consider duty to country and to fellow citizens. And, since some are either too blind or too unpatriotic to do this, it is the duty of Congress to act, and to act at once, before new complications arise."

"The Captain of a belligerent vessel may at any moment forfeit the lives of many passengers by trying to escape, or by making resistance. Why should American citizens be permitted to take such risks, when they risk their Nation's peace as well as their own lives? This nation is not seeking a cause for war; then why permit a few citizens to supply material for sensational papers?"

"Belligerent ships should be denied clearance or entry if they carry American passengers. That will keep this country out of any controversy that may hereafter be raised by submarine warfare. But to make certainty doubly sure, clearance and entry should be denied to the passenger ships of neutral countries—including our own—if they carry contraband with passengers. Passengers are entitled to the entire attention of the ships' officers at a time like this. The thoughts of the officers should not be diverted from care of passengers to care of contraband cargo."

"Congress should act at once!"

Women Of Sedentary Habits.

Women who get but little exercise are likely to be troubled with constipation and indigestion and will find Chamberlain's Tablets highly beneficial. Not so good as a three or four mile walk every day, but very much better than to allow the bowels to remain in a constipated condition. They are easy and pleasant to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

Swords Now Passe.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—The officers sword, whose usefulness had long since vanished and whose sole remaining function was to trip its wearer up at inopportune times, is now to disappear officially at the German front. The Emperor has just issued an order permitting officers at the front, with the exception of

the commanders of large detachments and staff officers, to wear a short knife or bayonet. The order approves a custom which had already established itself with the tacit acquiescence of the military authorities.

THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER.

How dear to our heart is the steady subscriber, who pays in advance without skipping a year; who takes out his money and offers it gladly, and casts 'round the office a halo of cheer.

Who never says, "Stop it, I cannot afford it," or "Getting more papers each week than I read."

But always says, "Send it, the whole family like it; in fact, it is one indispensable need."

How welcome his check or this crisp U. S. dollar, how he makes our heart throb and our eyes fairly dance.

We outwardly thank him—we inwardly bless him—the steady subscriber who pays in advance.

THE WOMAN PRISONER  
WAS A WALKING SALOON

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 14.—Clink, clink!

"What was that, Bill?" asked Prohibition Officer Jones to one of his aids after the two policemen had arrested a man and woman at a local depot, charged with violating the Yost prohibition law.

"Don't know, but it sounded like two bottles," was the answer.

"Are you sure you got all that whiskey off the man?" inquired Officer Jones.

After receiving an affirmative answer he said: "Then search that woman."

It was not necessary. She gave up on the spot rather than have the two policemen search her.

"Aw, say, take me to cover first and I'll show you some whiskey," she declared.

A patrol carried the couple to headquarters, where it was found the woman was a walking saloon. Ten pints of whiskey were found suspended by strings under her skirts, the officers say, besides, where pads are usually found, whiskey-filled bottles were located.

The two gave their names as Mr. and Mrs. Sam Badger, of Charleston, W. Va. They admitted that the whiskey was for sale. Both were held for trial to-morrow.

Local prohibition detectives say the women are the ones violating the law since the recent railroad injunction went into effect.

The liver loses its activity at times and needs help. Herbine is an effective liver stimulant. It also purifies the bowels, strengthens digestion and restores strength, vigor and cheerful spirits. Price 50c. Sold by Wilbur Mitchell, Beaver Dam.

TRAVELS 8,000 MILES  
WITH A BROKEN BACK

Roselawn, Ind., Jan. 14.—A journey of 8,000 miles in a basket bed ended yesterday when C. C. Smith, a mining engineer, of Natal, South Africa, arrived at the home of his parents. He suffered a broken back in a mine accident and is paralyzed from the waist down, but nevertheless will wed Miss Amy Palmer, an English nurse, who cared for him in a hospital in Cardiff, Wales, and helped bring him home.

Smith and a companion were repairing machinery in the South African workings. A huge rock fell, killing his companion. At Smith's request the company started him home, appropriating \$25,000 for the surgical and other expenses of the trip. The journey was broken at Cardiff so that the injured man might receive special medical attention, and it was there that he met Miss Palmer. Because of the size of the basket in which Smith traveled it was necessary to take out the windows of a railroad coach to get him aboard the train.

To Cure Children's Colds.

Keep child dry, clothes comfortable, avoid exposure and give Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It is pleasant, soothing, antiseptic, raises phlegm and reduces inflammation. The first dose gives relief, continued treatment with proper care will avoid serious illness or a long cold. Don't delay treatment. Don't let your child suffer. Get a bottle to-day. Insist on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. 25c at druggists.

Misery loves company, but it is usually of the unrequited sort.

## LATEST FIGURES ON AUTOMOBILES

Half the Cars Sold Here  
Last Year

WERE PURCHASED BY FARMERS

Total Direct Expenditure For  
Upkeep Last Year Was  
\$577,000,000.

OVER 2,000,000 CARS IN USE

Fully one-half of the cars sold in the United States during the last year were bought by farmers. In the four years from 1911 to 1914 the number of cars registered in the grain States, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Kansas and Oklahoma, increased from 130,000 to 560,000 and one half are said to be owned by farmers, who paid \$250,000,000 for them. There are 30,000 automobile dealers' garages, repair shops and charging stations in the country. More than 2,000,000 motor cars were registered in various States in July, 1915.

The total direct expenditures for gasoline, oil, tires, insurance, &c., is estimated at \$577,000,000 annually. Six thousand persons, it is estimated, made the trip from east of the Mississippi to California last summer. Allowing an average expenditure of \$20 a day, and 35 days for the trip, they spent \$4,200,000. Tourists in New England alone, according to the Hotel Men's Association, spent \$6,000,000 during the year. The money paid for upkeep each year about equals the amount spent for new cars. Together the sums are said to exceed \$1,000,000,000.

Manufacturers believe that the demand for popular-priced touring cars will continue to increase. With each \$25 decrease in price has come a greater demand. It is believed that there are 5,500,000 persons in the United States with incomes of \$1,200 or over, of whom 3,225,000 have incomes of \$1,800 or over. All of the latter class, the manufacturers think, can afford to maintain a low-priced automobile and within a few years they expect to develop an automobile whose first cost and price of upkeep will be within the reach of a \$1,000 income. In regard to the development of the market for commercial vehicles some of them are not so confident. They do not believe that a commercial vehicle sufficiently cheap and simple for use in small towns or on farms, has been developed. The field of the commercial car is thought to be in big cities and towns, but the situation may be changed at any time by the development of a car with the qualities demanded.

Most of the important concerns are members of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, which a member describes as formed for "promoting co-operative competition." Through it every member is advised of the number of cars produced and sold and other details. The rules require members to exchange free licenses under all their motor vehicle patents except design patents, certain other patents and basic patents of a revolutionary character. An attempt is being made to bring about the adoption of a uniform fifty-six-inch tread, which would result in an economy of approximately \$1,250,000 a year.

Heartburn, indigestion or distress of the stomach is instantly relieved by Herbine. It forces the badly digested food out of the body and restores tone to the stomach and bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Wilbur Mitchell, Beaver Dam.

A DEMONSTRATION OF  
THE SPEED OF A TURTLE

The slowness of the turtle again is proved, but he gets there just the same. While hunting on Dantz Run in Delmar Township, L. R. Van Horn found a large mud turtle. He noticed a steel plate on its back which bore the inscription "V. D. G., 4-13-13." It was supposed that these were the initials of V. D. Gross, of Tyadaghton, and Van Horn wrote him a letter.

He replied that he had found the

turtle in Pine Creek at Tyadaghton and put on the plate and turned him loose. In two years and seven months his turtle has traveled 18 miles. Van Horn has had a copper plate made with his initials and address, and he will send the turtle to some point in the North Tier and have it liberated.—[Wellsboro (Penn.) Cor. New York Sun.]

ODD BITS OF NEWS.

Dassel, Minn.—Nels Benson 77, and Johanna Dahlberg, 81, were married here recently. Mrs. Benson is the oldest bride Minnesota has ever had.

Chicago, Ill.—The mysterious "pepper bandit," who has been holding up pedestrians for many weeks, was arrested recently. He was an anemic boy, 18 years old, named Fred Logue. He confessed nineteen holdups, all accomplished with a toy glass pistol.

South Bethlehem, Pa.—Joseph Danzko arrived at this place recently with a 16-months old child strapped to his back, on his way to New York. He had walked with the baby on his back from Canada, a distance of 250 miles, keeping the child alive on crackers and water.

Persia, Ia.—For eleven hours Mrs. August Sedden lay in a trance and saw her friends and relatives preparing for her burial. When the undertaker was about to place her in the coffin, she succeeded in sighing and thus prevented her burial alive. She is expected to recover.

Hood River, Ore.—A sturgeon which has been a captive in a small pool for over 30 years, has been released by Mrs. Sue M. Adams Armstrong who owned him. The fish had grown from a small one to over six feet in length. Dazed, at first, by his freedom, he quickly recovered himself and disappeared in the deep channel of the Columbia river.

Richardsville, Ia.—A dog belonging to L. M. Datisman, who rents the home formerly occupied by James Maxwell near here, was seen digging recently, when something glittering appeared in the dirt. Datisman investigated and found a box containing \$1,000 in gold coins. It is presumed that Maxwell, who was said to be miserly, used to bury his money. Maxwell was killed in a railroad wreck.

St. Louis, Mo.—"Hands up!" The command came from one of two robbers who entered a saloon recently. The crowd at the bar raised their hands, all except one—armed Michael McCarthy. Then a pistol spoke and McCarthy dropped dead. When the robbers saw McCarthy's empty sleeve, they fled panic stricken.

Any little wound or abrasion of the flesh occurring in cold weather that is not promptly treated becomes a bad sore and is difficult to heal. Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment at once when such accidents happen. The wound heals promptly and soon goes away with the annoyance of a bandage. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Wilbur Mitchell, Beaver Dam.

1916 Eclipses.

During the present year there will be three eclipses of the sun and two of the moon. A partial eclipse of the moon, January 20, will be visible to North America. The moon enters the shadow at 2:55 a. m. and leaves it at 4:20 a. m. eastern standard time. February 2 a total eclipse of the sun will be visible to this continent. July 14 there will be a partial eclipse of the moon, beginning at 10:19 p. m. An eclipse of the sun July 30 will not be visible in this country. December 24 there will be another eclipse of the sun which will not be visible to Americans.

Bad Cold Quickly Broken Up.

Mrs. Martha Wilcox, Gowanda, N. Y., writes: "I first used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy about 8 years ago. At that time I had a hard cold and coughed most of the time. It proved to be just what I needed. It broke up the cold in a few days, and the cough entirely disappeared. I have told many of my friends of the good I received through using this medicine, and all who have used it speak of it in the highest terms."

Obtainable everywhere.

Justifiable Delay.

"Are you aware," asked the landlady, "that your room rent is three weeks overdue?"

"I'm awfully sorry," said the man who occupies the third floor hall room, "but the gaslight in my room is so dim that I haven't been able to read those little reminders you've been slipping under my door."



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EDITORS.  
FRANK L. PELIX, Pub. and Prop'r

Entered at the Hartford post-office  
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The Republican and Progressive forces are making tentative efforts to get together, all the while sparing at each other upon the proposition as to which side shall make the clinching overtures. Neither wants to be in the attitude of dissembling to the other. They are both inviting the other to "come across," but the humiliation of capitulation stands in the way. It is a spectacular scene of political melodrama, with all the proper stage settings.

A report has gotten out that the terms of Circuit Court in this Judicial District have been changed. This is a mistake, as they could not be changed except by act of the Legislature. A new schedule has been proposed and printed in The Herald and other newspapers, but this is as far as the matter has gone. The old schedule is still in force for Ohio county, which is as follows: First Monday in February, three weeks; third Monday in April, two weeks; second Monday in June, three weeks; and third Monday in October, two weeks.

Almost every Democratic newspaper in the State (including The Herald) is opposed to the contest suit filed by Barksdale Hamlett against James P. Lewis for Secretary of State. It would have been well for Hamlett to have followed the example set by Ed Morrow and step gracefully aside. Contests usually do neither the party nor the erstwhile candidate any good. It seems to be the consensus of Democratic opinion that Hamlett, for the sake of his party, which in a great measure stands sponsor for him, should withdraw his suit.

The Herald has contended for years that one of the main basic faults of our taxing system lies with the assessors or their deputies. We still believe we are right. Under the present taxing system every man is practically his own assessor. Frequently lists are scattered around among the taxpayers and collected again with little regard for the manner in which this should be done. Sometimes the property lister is not sworn; sometimes he is missed altogether. He lists his property without question or formality. In this way much property goes untaxed. The assessor makes a quick, inconsequential job of a very important mission. And right here lies a big fault.

Recent killing of Americans in Mexico has aroused the jingoes in Congress to increased vehemence and they are unsparring in their criticism of President Wilson because he does not take steps to go in and clean up the Mexican nation. In this connection it might be well to take into consideration what Secretary Lansing and former Secretary Bryan have to say. Mr. Bryan contends that an American has no moral right to go abroad a belligerent ship and thus court international trouble as well as risk his own life. Mr. Lansing intimates that a man is more blamable for going into a war-torn country than on a sea thick with war vessels. Ample warning has been given of the double danger of each. Americans should heed this warning.

Strong efforts have been made by Democratic leaders to get President Wilson to say whether or not he will be a candidate for re-election to the Presidency this year, but all to no avail. The best these leaders can do is to revert to a letter written by the President on February 5, 1913, to Mr. A. Mitchell Palmer, then Vice Chairman of the Democratic National Committee. It was in regard to a joint resolution then before Congress amending the Federal Constitution by providing for a single term of six years for a President. The letter was a very lengthy one, but among other things the President said:

"I can approach the question from a perfectly impersonal point of view, because I shall most cheerfully abide by the judgment of my party and the public as to whether I shall be a candidate for the Presidency again in 1916. I absolutely pledge myself to resort to nothing but public opinion to decide that question."

### STEAMER CARRIES FOOD TO STRICKEN REFUGEES

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 15.—The Ohio river continues to rise here slowly and last midnight passed the 42.6 stage. It is expected the forty-three-foot stage will be passed by midnight to-night or early Sunday morning. Cloudy weather prevails

along the lower Ohio river to-day and rain is expected.

The steamer Alma, owned by Capt. Charles Thompson, of this city, left to-day for Ashbysburg, Ky., and Comer, Ky., and other towns on Green and Pond rivers in Western Kentucky. The boat carried coal and provisions for the people of that section. There were urgent demands sent here that the boat bring the food and fuel at once. The steamer Speed made a trip to the same section with food and fuel several days ago.

The high water, together with the recent cold weather, has caused a great deal of suffering along the Green river valley. It is now expected that a stage of fully forty-four feet will be reached by the Ohio river here either Monday night or Tuesday, and in case of general rains along the Ohio river, even a higher stage may be looked for.

### TOOK A SHOWER BATH ON A DARE—BOTH DEAD

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 15.—It was learned here to-day that the death of D. H. Hargis and that of his brother, Andrew Hargis, of near Hebbardsville, was due to colds contracted from taking a shower bath under the eaves during a heavy rain some ten days ago.

It is said the younger of these young men challenged his brother to take a bath with him, which was accepted. Both stripped their clothes and stood for several minutes under the eaves of the house where the water was pouring down, soon following the taking of the baths both were seized with a severe cold, one developing into a hard chill and both into pneumonia.

Dr. H. S. Clay, of Niagara, was called in and did everything known to medical skill to save their lives. D. H. Hargis was 31, while his brother, Andrew Hargis, was only 18. They are of a splendid family. The Hargis brothers were growers of fine seed corn.

### DUNDEE.

Jan. 16.—Mr. Taylor Murphy died here Jan. 12th and was buried near Pattiesville Jan. 13th at his family burying ground. He died of pneumonia. He was sick only a few days and was very ill from the first. He was 67 years old. He leaves a widow and two sons, three daughters having died in the last few years. He was a good citizen and neighbor, a member of the Baptist church and a hard working man. He also leaves a sister here, Mrs. Mary Ragsdale.

Elmore, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smallwood, 11 years old, died last Thursday and was buried Friday near W. D. Hardin's. She died of pneumonia and typhoid fever. This makes four children they have lost in a little over a year.

Misses Hattie and Ruth Weller and Miss Bettie Weller were called home from Bowling Green by the death and burial of Mr. S. J. Weller. We have lost by death three of our best citizens since Dec. 31st—Romney Renfrow, Taylor Murphy and S. J. Weller.

Messrs. Bob Weller, Bob and John Spurrier, of Falls of Rough, attended the funeral of S. J. Weller. Also a sister of the deceased, Mrs. Brack, of Owensboro, attended.

Mr. A. R. Renfrow, of Narrows, visited H. C. Acton and family Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. J. C. Riley, of Hartford, was in town Saturday.

### MUCH HUSH MONEY WAS PAID TO BLACKMAILERS

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—Agents in this city of the Federal Department of Justice arrested William Butler, said by the police to have a record as a gambler and wire-tapper, in connection with a country-wide scheme to blackmail wealthy alleged violators of the Mann white slave law.

Butler is accused of demanding \$8,000 hush money from a society woman of Philadelphia to protect the name of her son. He was held in \$20,000 bail.

According to Frank Garberino, special agent of the Department of Justice, who is in charge of the case, Butler is one of a group of six or seven men and women who, it is said, have collected between \$250,000 and 500,000 from rich victims who are loath to make their names public because of possible family scandals.

### Notice To Creditors.

Dundee Deposit Bank having been placed in the hands of the Banking Commissioner of Kentucky, all persons having claims against said bank (now in liquidation) are notified to present same, properly proven, to the undersigned at Dundee, Ky., on or before the 1st day of May, 1916.

G. B. LIKENS,  
Special Deputy Banking Commissioner.

For classy job printing—The Herald

## PROPOSED CHANGE OF COURT TERMS

In Kentucky's Sixth Judicial District,  
INCLUDING COUNTY OF OHIO  
Embraced In a Bill Offered  
By Senator Overstreet  
At Frankfort.

### LIKELY TO BECOME A LAW

Senator H. G. Overstreet has introduced as his first bill for the 1916 session a proposed act, which will change the time of holding courts in the four counties of the Sixth judicial district. This bill is one that was suggested to Senator Overstreet by some of the leading attorneys at the Owensboro bar, and, as it relates to no other judicial district in the State, it is a foregone conclusion it will be passed by both branches of the Legislature.

Under the proposed bill, Daviess county will have nine terms, beginning on the first Monday in January, twelve judicial days; first Monday in April, eighteen judicial days; third Monday in May, twelve judicial days; third Monday in June, twelve judicial days; first Monday in September, twelve judicial days; first Monday in October, eighteen judicial days, and second Monday in December, twelve judicial days.

"McLean county, at Calhoun, three terms, beginning on the third Monday in March, twelve judicial days; third Monday in July, twelve judicial days, and second Monday in November, twelve judicial days.

"Ohio county, at Hartford, five terms, beginning on the first Monday in March, twelve judicial days; first Monday in May, twelve judicial days; first Monday in July, twelve judicial days; third Monday in September, twelve judicial days, and fourth Monday in November, twelve judicial days.

"Hancock county, at Hawesville, three terms, beginning third Monday in January, twelve judicial days; first Monday in June, twelve judicial days, and fourth Monday in October, twelve judicial days.

"Because of the urgent need, the change of schedule herein provided for, an emergency is declared to exist and this Act shall take effect from and after its approval by the Governor."

### BIG ORDER FOR SHELLS FOR THE BRITISH ARMY

Akron, O., Jan. 17.—The Babcock-Wilcox Company, Barberton, with head offices in New York, has been awarded a \$20,000,000 war order by the British Government for big field gun shells. B. F. Safberg, Superintendent of the plant, confirmed the report.

The shells are to be of the 9.2 type. They will be about three feet long and will weigh several hundred pounds each. The order will contain nearly 200,000 shells, and must be ready for shipment by July 1. Two hundred men will work day and night, commencing at once.

Realizing the danger of war plotters, the Babcock-Wilcox Company has stationed a strong squad of special police around and throughout its plant. They will be on duty until the order is filled.

WANT TO SHIP GERMANY  
1,000,000 BALES COTTON

Washington, Jan. 15.—H. N. Pope, president of the Texas Farmers' Union, accompanied by Senator Sheppard, told President Wilson of the union's plan for sending 1,000,000 bales of cotton to Germany by way of Rotterdam in American ships, and asked for assurances for protection against British seizure. Senator Sheppard said the President promised to do all he could.

Cotton is on both the British and German contraband lists and the legality of that action now is the subject of diplomatic correspondence. The cotton men say they have no objection to British seizure if they

get the twenty-seven cents a pound they are promised in Germany. The market price is twenty cents. That is what the British have been paying on seizures.

### IT WOULD BE FOLLY TO INTERFERE, SAYS TEXAN

Austin, Tex., Jan. 17.—"Let those men in Congress who are now condemning President Wilson and demanding that we interfere in Mexico realize the fact that the United States is wholly unprepared for war with Mexico," said Governor Ferguson, in a statement here.

"In the present state of our army and navy it will be the wildest folly to attempt the pacification of Mexico by force, and yet, until conditions are improved, we must sit silently by and see our citizens murdered by savages.

"We need not seriously concern ourselves about a demand for reparation until we are in a position to compel our demands to be respected."

Our Oldest Subscriber.  
Dallas, Tex., Jan. 15, 1916.

Hartford Herald, Hartford, Ky.:—Please find enclosed post-office money order for two dollars to pay for the faithful and good old Herald for 1915 and 1916.

I notice a challenge in your paper made by Mr. J. T. Wilson, of Oklahoma, in regard to the time he has been reading (continuously) your paper. He says 32 years. I have him bested. It was 41 years ago last March since I subscribed to Li-curgus Barret for The Herald and I have never missed a copy since, that I remember of. I expect also that I am the oldest man reading the paper to-day. The 29th day of this January I will be 76 years of age. I can't write plain any more, but I am blessed with a second eyesight and can and do read The Herald without glasses day or night.

Yours faithfully,  
G. W. PATTERSON.

### Big Revival Closed.

A belated report of the recent meeting at Dundee, Ky., says: The revival meeting at the Methodist church at Dundee, closed Sunday night, Dec. 19, with good interest, a number of seekers at the altar and a large crowd, considering that Dundee was almost surrounded with back-water from Rough river. Large crowds attended the meetings before the rains and back-water and great interest was being manifested. There were about thirty blessed, either converted, reclaimed or sanctified, the church wonderfully revived and the town greatly stirred. Eleven united with the church the last night of the meeting and others gave their names to be received later.

### The Gist Of It.

"Last December I had a very severe cold and was nearly down sick in bed. I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a very few days until I was completely restored to health," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weatherby, Mo. If you would know the value of this remedy, ask any one who has used it. Obtainable everywhere.

The man who is too lazy to make hay while the sun shines nearly always has to borrow an umbrella when it rains.

### SOUTHERN DRUG MERCHANT MAKES UNUSUAL STATEMENT

Great Business Losses Due to  
Neglect



W. WITHERS MILLER  
President of the Polk-Miller Drug Company, Richmond, Va., is authority for the following extraordinary statement:

"I estimate that the business men of this country could increase their efficiency fully ten per cent by taking an occasional laxative and not neglecting the bowels as most of them do."

He also said that if the Department of Commerce in Washington would present each business man in the country with a box of Rexall Orderlies, it would be of great benefit to the national welfare. Rexall Orderlies are prompt in action, pleasant to take and never gripe, can be used by men, women or children, and are just the thing for toning up sluggish livers.

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents.  
JAMES H. WILLIAMS  
THE REXALL STORE

## COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to  
Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst.

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off.

I was certainly in a dreadful state of health, when I finally decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I firmly

believe I would have died if I hadn't taken it.

After I began taking Cardui, I was greatly helped, and all three bottles relieved me entirely.

I fattened up, and grew so much stronger in three months, I felt like another person altogether."

Cardui is purely vegetable and gentle-acting. Its ingredients have a mild, tonic effect, on the womanly constitution.

Cardui makes for increased strength, improves the appetite, tones up the nervous system, and helps to make pale, sallow cheeks, fresh and rosy.

Cardui has helped more than a million weak women, during the past 50 years. It will surely do for you, what it has done for them. Try Cardui today.

Write for Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for special instructions on your case and 64-page book, "How Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. J-4

## BIG REDUCTION

## OVERCOATS

FOR THE  
Next 10 Days.

\$15.00 Coats	-	\$9.49
12.50 Coats	-	7.49
10.00 Coats	-	6.49
8.50 Coats	-	4.49
5.00 Coats	-	3.49

and many other bargains in stock  
Come in and get the pick of the stock.

HUB CLOTHING CO.  
HARTFORD, KY.

### SPECIAL PRICES

## RUBBER ROOFING!

Samples furnished on request.

We can please you in Price and Quality.

Write for Samples.

Fordsville Planing Mill Co.

(INCORPORATED)  
JAKE WILSON, Mgr. FORDSVILLE, KY

## KENTUCKY Light and Power Company

(INCORPORATED)  
E. G. BARRASS MGR.,  
Hartford, Ky.

Will wire your house at cost. Electric Lights are clean, healthy and safe. No home or business house should be without them when within reach.

### ADVERTISING!

Every kind of business needs advertising nowadays to make it succeed. There are two kinds of advertising—the good and the bad; the kind that brings results and the kind which does no good. Of course you want the first mentioned, in order to be sure of the result.

### WE ARE HERE

To serve you in the right way. Advertising in a good, live paper with large circulation, like THE HERALD, brings sure results. Tell us what you want and let us figure you an estimate. The figuring is free and the advertising won't cost you much. It will help you. Try it.

THE HERALD, Hartford, Ky.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE HARTFORD HERALD—\$1.00 A YEAR.



# Dimes Versus Dollars!

To the House-Wives of Ohio County:

Do you want to make your dimes do the work of dollars? If you do, we want to PUT YOU NEXT, by saying to you that on Wednesday, the 19th, we expect to "PULL OFF" our BIG NINE CENTS SALE, which continues until Saturday, the 29th.

You will receive later the Big Red and White Circular telling you all about it. Read carefully every word on it, also the supplement enclosed.

No fake. Every article as advertised, and every advertised article in stock. We shall expect you. Tell the news to your neighbors, and Remember this, THAT IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH A HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

**FAIR & CO.**  
THE FAIR DEALERS

instructive and entertaining. He conducts his "experiments" with a happy flow of humor and the entertainment was high-class in every respect.

Messrs. Harold Holbrook and Hooker Williams have purchased the ice plant in north Hartford and will operate it the coming season. They will repair and put it in first-class condition, also enlarge its capacity.

Judge J. E. Fogle, E. T. Williams and Pendleton Henshaw, Hartford; Mrs. J. H. Wilson and daughters, Misses Florence and Mattie Wilson, Dundee; G. R. Wooten, Hartford, Route 2; F. C. Bennett, Hartford, Route 3; W. E. Baker, Narrows, Route 2, and Rev. Birch Shields, Deaver Dam, and J. M. Ross, Centerown, were among The Herald's recent callers.

## RIHELDAFFER-SKIBINSKY COMPANY NEXT EVENT

The next number in the Hartford College Lyceum Course occurs tomorrow night, when the Riheldaffer-Skibinsky Company, a rare combination of brilliant musical talent, will appear. For those who love music this is a rare opportunity.

The company is composed of three performers. Madam Grace Hall-Riheldaffer is recognized by both press and public as one of the greatest American sopranos. Alexander von Skibinsky, the noted Russian violinist, has worked with the great masters of Germany and Russia. Harold A. Loring, pianist, is well known throughout musical America.

Each of these musicians, pre-eminent in his or her own sphere, has been appearing alone before record-breaking audiences. Each alone has been considered a brilliant attraction. The combination of their talents has produced what is unquestionably one of the finest musical organizations in America.

It will be one of the best numbers of the season.

**Charles B. Sullenger Dead.**  
Mr. Charles B. Sullenger died at his residence near the bridge, Hartford, yesterday morning at one o'clock of pneumonia. His remains will be buried at the Milton Taylor burying grounds to-day by the side of his parents, who preceded him. Burial services will be conducted by the Maccabee Lodge, of which he was a member.

The deceased was 53 years old. He leaves surviving a daughter, Mrs. Earl Rickard; two sons, Darrell and Barnett Sullenger, of Hartford, and an uncle, Mr. George B. Sullenger, of Erin, Tenn. His wife preceded him several years. The family have the sincerest sympathy of all in this their sore bereavement.

## POULTRY WANTED.

In order that we may finish loading car, we will pay the following cash prices delivered at our place of business, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, this week.

Hens, 12 cents. Ducks, young and old 7 cents. Turkeys 16 cents, and Guinea 25 cents each. Rabbits drawn and in good condition \$1.00 per dozen. Eggs 25 cents per dozen.

W. E. ELLIS & BRO.,  
Hartford, Ky.

## Card Of Thanks.

We desire to extend to our many friends and christian neighbors our grateful thanks for their many sympathetic acts of kindness extended to us during the protracted illness and death of our wife and mother. Also to Drs. Denton and Hale for their medical aid and comfort during our sad bereavement.

Edwin Forbes and Daughter,  
Fordsville, Ky.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Noble Parrett, McHenry, to Myrtle Thomson, McHenry.  
James A. Ballard, Hartford, R. 1, to Cordelia Hicks, Hartford, R. 1.

## Walks In Snow In Bare Feet.

While walking in his sleep, J. T. Wagoner, 16-year-old son of Harvey Wagoner, of Bourbon county, pumped from the second story window of his home Sunday night, and in his bare feet and night garment, tramped one mile in the ice and snow to the residence of Watt Kiser, and, knocking on the door, was admitted. He did not awaken until after his removal to his home. His feet were badly frostbitten and he is suffering from the shock. (Maysville Bulletin.)

County School Superintendents of Kentucky, in session at Frankfort, went on record as favoring the appropriation of \$20,000 annually till 1920 for the work of the Kentucky Illiteracy Commission.

A toy wagon fell from a shelf and hit a baby on the head in Louisville, killing the child.

Subscribe for The Herald. \$1 a year.

## TRAGIC SUICIDE OF S. J. WELLER

Cashier of the Dundee Deposit Bank.

## CHOSE HANGING AS METHOD

Affairs Placed In Hands Of Special Deputy—Depositors Are Safe.

## NO REAL REASON ASSIGNED

One of the most tragic and deplorable events that ever occurred in Ohio county was the suicide last Friday, some time between 9:30 a. m. and noon, of Mr. S. J. Weller, at the village of Dundee, this county. Mr. Weller was Cashier of the Dundee Deposit Bank, a position he had held since its organization about 10 years ago. He was also well-to-do otherwise, owning a fine large farm and beautiful residence property. He was popular with everybody and one of the county's foremost citizens. Mr. J. E. Mitchell was assistant cashier of the bank.

Mr. Weller was at the bank as usual Friday morning, and just as business hours began, Mr. E. L. Augustus, a State bank examiner, started his work on the books and affairs of the bank. Within a few minutes Mr. Weller excused himself on some trivial plea, leaving Mr. Augustus and Mr. Mitchell in the bank.

The continued absence of Mr. Weller was not particularly noticed until after the noon hour, when inquiries were made. Failing to locate him, his friends and family began a search, not apprehending anything very serious. As the hours went by the search became more diligent and finally about 4 o'clock in the afternoon his body was found hanging in the meat house just in the rear of his residence. He had picked up a piece of rope that had been lying around the house for some time and used it with deadly effect. Evidently standing on a salt barrel he had adjusted one end of the rope to a joist overhead, knotted the other end around his neck and jumped off. His feet cleared the ground only by a few inches. When found his body was cold and nearly stiff and he had evidently been dead several hours.

The news of Mr. Weller's suicide created much interest and sorrow, for he was well known and about the last man anybody would suspect of doing such a thing. He was of unusually sunny disposition. Following the discovery of Mr. Weller's death, Mr. Augustus, the examiner, telegraphed for Mr. R. P. Revel, Deputy State Banking Commissioner, of Frankfort, who arrived on the scene next morning.

A cursory examination of the bank's affairs showed no evidence of any shortage. Soon after, however, following a conference of five of the directors of the bank, it was decided to place the affairs of the bank in liquidation. The directors of the bank are: Porter McDowell, President; Schuyler Acton, J. D. Duke, Martin Neighbors, F. N. Landrum, Ellis Mitchell and S. J. Weller.

After the death of Mr. Weller, who was virtually in charge of the bank, it was feared by the directors there would be a run on the bank. They, therefore, thought it best for the State department to take complete charge of affairs.

Until a complete audit is made of the books of the bank, any statement relative to the exact financial standing of the institution would be mere conjecture. The last published statement of the bank, issued November 10, 1915, gives its condition as follows: Capital stock, \$15,000; surplus, \$3,000; loans, \$43,000; deposits, \$43,000; cash on hand and on deposit in other banks, \$13,000.

Mr. G. B. Likens, of Hartford, has been appointed as special deputy banking commissioner (or receiver) to liquidate the affairs of the Dundee Bank. He will be assisted by Mr. Paul C. Snyder, of Louisville, an expert accountant.

There was said to be \$13,000 in cash and money on hand in other banks when the doors were closed Saturday. This is double the amount of the reserve fund required under the banking law. It is improbable irregularities like forgery will be discovered. However, all pieces of paper in the bank will be scanned and the signature certified before the exact condition can be learned.

Mr. Weller was a small stockholder and in sole charge of affairs. He was the cashier and one of the directors. It is said the bank had not been prospering lately, therefore, the directors placed affairs in the

hands of the State Department. Close money matters among the farming population and slow collection of paper was blamed for such conditions. It is not thought the depositors will lose a cent.

Friends and relatives of Mr. Weller are at a loss to understand the real cause of his rash act. He was personally worth quite a considerable sum. In a recent lawsuit at Hartford, in which Mr. Weller's financial condition was questioned, it was testified by several citizens supposed to be informed of his condition, that he was worth, above all incumbrances, between \$7,000 and \$10,000. It must have been some at present unknown serious trouble that temporarily unbalanced his mind and caused him to take his own life.

Funeral services for Mr. Weller were held at the Methodist church at Dundee Sunday morning at ten o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. P. Vanhoy. Interment was at Mt. Vernon cemetery, near Sulphur Springs. Mr. Weller is survived by his wife and six children; also three brothers, Lefe, Robert and Tony, and two sisters, Mrs. Brack, of Owensboro, and Miss Bettie Weller, at present residing in Bowling Green. His death has cast great gloom over the little town and community where he was known so well. He would have been fifty years old the 27th of the present month.

## Special CASH Sale For Friday and Saturday, Jan. 21 and 22.

1 can Vissman's Lard.....	\$6.00
1 can Pure Hog Lard.....	\$5.75
1-bbl. Good Flour.....	\$6.75
1 bushel Meal.....	85c
100-lbs. Cane Sugar.....	\$8.35
100-lbs. Beet Sugar.....	\$6.20
1 bag Mistle Shells.....	80c
1 bag Grit.....	85c
10-lbs. Navy Beans.....	75c
10-lbs. Pink Beans.....	75c
1 bag Hen Feed.....	\$2.10
1 doz. Climax Corn.....	\$1.30
1 doz. 15c Peas.....	\$1.25
1 doz. Home Pack Tomatoes.....	\$1.05
1 doz. 3-lb. cans Kraut.....	90c
1 doz. 3-lb. cans Lye Hominy.....	80c
5-lbs. Soda.....	10c
8 bars Lenox Soap.....	25c
10-lbs. Good Coffee.....	\$1.20
10-lbs. Peaberry Coffee.....	\$1.80
4-lbs. 35c Chase & Sanborn Coffee.....	\$1.15
4-lbs. 25c Chase & Sanborn Coffee.....	95c
2 boxes Oatmeal.....	15c
7 rolls Toilet Paper.....	25c
4 rolls 10c Toilet Paper.....	25c
20-lbs. Pure Hog Lard.....	\$2.25
1 doz. Jump Pickles.....	15c
1 35c Mop.....	30c
1 40c Broom.....	35c
Grape Fruit.....	5c each
1 doz. Oranges.....	20c
1 25c can Calumet Baking Powder.....	25c
1 large box Oatmeal with China.....	25c
1 \$45.00 Range Stove.....	\$30.00
Join the Library.....	90c
1 75c K. K. Knife.....	50c
1 \$1.00 K. K. Knife.....	75c
1 barrel Salt.....	\$1.60

Yours for more business,  
J. C. ILLER.

## Announcement.

Messrs. M. L. Heavrin, A. D. Kirk and Otto C. Martin announce that they have formed a partnership for the practice of law under the firm name of Heavrin, Kirk & Martin.

Their office will be located in the same offices now occupied by the firm of Heavrin & Kirk, on Main street, Hartford, Ky., opposite the court house.

They will practice their profession in all courts of this State. Matters placed in their hands will be given prompt and careful attention. Their friends are cordially invited to call on them.

## Further Notice.

To those who owe us, your failure to make some settlement with us now, will jeopardize a further extension of credit to you.

## Doctors

E. W. FORD,  
A. B. RILEY,  
B. F. TICHENOR,  
J. W. TAYLOR,  
L. B. BEAN,  
J. R. PIRTLE,  
E. B. PENDLETON

## Notice To Claimants.

All persons having claims against the estate of J. P. Miller, deceased, are hereby notified to file same with me in Hartford, Ky., properly verified, on or before March 1, 1916, or they will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this January 3, 1916. IRA D. BEAN,  
Administrator.

## Chinese Weds White Girl.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 15.—Eugene Sue, twenty-four years old, of Chicago, a Chinaman, and Miss Laura Devine, twenty-one, a white girl of this county, were granted a marriage license here.

Travelers and missionaries have been warned not to enter provinces within the zone of military operations against Chinese rebels.

## POSSUM HUNTERS GET 5-YEAR SENTENCE EACH

Three Men Who Lashed John Moseley's Bare Back Are Convicted.

Greenville, Ky., Jan. 14.—The jury trying the "possum hunter" cases was out just thirty-five minutes this morning, after hearing the closing argument of Commonwealth's Attorney James R. Mallory, when they returned into the court the following verdict:

"We, the jury, find the defendants guilty and fix their punishment at confinement in the State penitentiary for not less than four years and 364 days and not more than five years."

"C. W. MOULDEN, Foreman."

O. R. Knight, Edgar Knight and George Strisman are convicted by the verdict. They were charged with whipping John Moseley in the latter part of last May, when a band of thirty-five or forty men broke down the door of his house, took Moseley out, clad only in his night-clothes, and lashed his bare back. Mrs. Moseley, who protested, was slapped by one of the band.

This verdict was the strongest the jury could bring in, as the maximum punishment is five years. Commonwealth's Attorney Mallory closed the argument and his appeal to the jury to wipe out the stain of outlawry in Muhlenberg county was one of the strongest ever heard here.

His closing sentences were: "Gentlemen of the jury, I want to appeal to you as I never appealed to a jury before. Return into this court a verdict like this: 'We, the jury, find the defendants guilty and fix their punishment at confinement in the State penitentiary for a period of not less than four years and 364 days and not more than five years.'" They returned that identical verdict.

## Attention, Farmers!

Have you hay for sale? Call or write, stating kind and amount, W. E. TRAVIS,  
Beaver Dam, Ky.

## Death Of Mrs. Growbarger.

Mrs. Juliette Henry Growbarger, wife of W. M. Growbarger and daughter of Leonard Dunn, age 72 years, died of pneumonia at her home at McHenry, Ky., January 7, 1916. She was born in Butler county, but since her marriage had lived in this county. She was a devoted mother of eight children (of whom five are living), seventeen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She obeyed the gospel and became a member of the Church of Christ nearly forty years ago. From that time she remained a faithful christian until death.

The remains were laid to rest beside her husband at McHenry.

## Your Chance To Buy Groceries.

Other business interests requiring my attention, I am offering my entire stock of groceries to the public at actual cost. Sale now in full swing and if you fail to drop in and take advantage of this opportunity you are punishing your pocketbook. Everything goes for cash.

U. S. CARSON,  
Hartford, Ky.

## RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system. To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and rebuild your strength. Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

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L. & N. R. R. TIME TABLE.			
114 p.m.	Lv. Earlington ..Ar.	115 p.m.	
2:00	" Madisonville ..Ar.	12:30	
3:50	" Bremen ..Lv.	10:55	
5:00	" Moorman ..Ar.	10:40	
5:35	" Centertown ..Ar.	9:15	
5:55	" Hartford ..Ar.	8:45	
6:30	" Sunnydale ..Ar.	8:15	
6:40 Lv.	Dundee ..Ar.	7:55	
7:00 Ar.	Ellmitch ..Lv.	7:35	
Mixed trains—Daily except Sunday.			

## LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL POINTS

Good Meals 25c.

## CITY RESTAURANT.

Mr. Geo. Bunker, city, is on the sick list.

"There's a Photographer" in Hartford. SCHROETER.

Redtop Grass Seed can be had at Acton Bros. 212

Master Philip D. May city, is on the sick list.

To keep warm and save fuel, buy you a Hot Blast Heater from Acton Bros.

Mr. Ernest Woodward and wife went to Louisville Saturday to spend a few days.

For big bargains in real estate, see or write Holbrook & Parks, Hartford, Ky. 34tf

Miss Susie May has gone to Graham, Ky., to nurse a patient for Dr. Ross Bennett.

Mr. Ralph, of near town, has rented and moved into part of Mr. C. P. Keown's property.

Mr. Arch Stalworth is very ill of pneumonia at his residence about two miles north of town.

Charlie King, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. King, Hartford, is quite sick of pneumonia.

Miss Mary Austin Carson has gone to Louisville, where she entered the Conservatory of Music.

There is a great deal of sickness in the town and community at present. Most of it is of a serious type.

We have no "special days." Every day is a special day with us. Cash makes it special.  
S. L. KING & CO.

Mr. Levi Wilson, of near Prentiss, is dangerously ill of lagrippe and complications. "Uncle Levi," as he is familiarly known, is 83 years old

and owing to his extreme age it is feared that he cannot survive long. He is the father of County Judge Jno. B. Wilson.

Before purchasing your needs it will pay you to drop in and get our cash prices. We can save you money.  
S. L. KING & CO.

Rev. R. D. Bennett and wife have returned home from an extended visit to their daughter, Mrs. Wilson, of Alabama.

Iler's Grocery has just received another large shipment of Cups and Saucers, Plates and many other new things. Call around and see.

Mrs. A. B. Riley and son John David are confined to their room with severe cases of lagrippe. Dr. Riley is recovering from an attack.

Mr. Chicken, have your boss go to Iler's Grocery and buy you some Meat Scraps, Poultry Bone, Charcoal, Mistle Shells, Grit and Chicken Feed.

Mrs. Nancy Smith died at the residence of her son, Jim Smith, just west of town, Sunday night, of heart trouble. Burial was at Oakwood yesterday.

Join Iler's Rotary Library and read the new Books and then go to the motion picture show and see the play. Ninety cents only for Friday and Saturday.

Delbert Bozarth, the ten-year-old son of Joe Bozarth, Beaver Dam, died Monday night of pneumonia. His remains will be buried in Oakwood cemetery this morning.

Mr. Clyde Hudson, 21 years old, died of typhoid fever at his residence about 4 miles west of Hartford on Rough river, Saturday at 5 p. m. His remains were interred at Pleasant Ridge Sunday.

Rev. H. B. Gwinn will conduct his farewell services at the Christian church here next Sunday morning and night. He and his wife will leave on Monday, the 24th, for Jamestown, Ky., where Bro. Gwinn has been called as pastor of the Christian church there. These two good people will leave many warm friends behind.

A large crowd went to College Hall last Thursday night to see the demonstrations of Louis Williams the "electric wizard." The audience was exceedingly well pleased with the entertainment. Mr. Williams showed many wonders of electricity and his demonstrations were very



# Profit-Sharing Sale!

Begins Saturday, January 22; Closes Saturday, February 5, 1916.

To share in the profits you must pay cash or produce checks for your purchases. Merchandise charged will be at Regular Prices. Nothing reserved except Overalls, Jackets and Groceries. Everything else in our stock subject to a 10 per cent. reduction.

LAUNCHING this big sale and offering Dependable, High-class Merchandise at prices quoted below, in the face of conditions produced by the European war, requires an unflinching nerve and a strong sense of obligation to our customers. Owing to the high prices of dye stuffs, all merchandise with color in them must be materially advanced. Raw cotton is nearly double in price, in comparison to what it sold at last year. This, in conjunction with the price of dyes, must make cotton fabrics much higher in price. Raw wool is fifty per cent. higher than a year ago, and wool goods are costing perceptibly more. All of the manufactured products of this country are operating on a rising market on account of this tremendous struggle. In the face of all this we stepped in on the ground flood and bought beforehand all of our supplementary merchandise, and now we'll draw from our reserve stock sufficient to make this, conditions considered, the biggest money-saving sale in our history.

STOP and figure the difference between a 25 per cent. reduction from the regular price and a 25 per cent. advance you may have to pay. Figure the difference between a 10 per cent. reduction and a 25 per cent. advance and you are bound to come to the conclusion that NOW is the time to buy an OVERCOAT, SUIT, HAT, SHOES, LADIES' SUITS, CLOAKS, and anything else within the realm of human necessities. And this store can almost supply the whole list. WAKE UP to the gravity of the situation and be on hand early the first day of this big money-saving event, and every day thereafter, and you can easily figure the saving on every dollar spent will be equal to 5 to 8 years' interest at 6 per cent. WE WILL LOOK FOR YOU.

#### CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Now is the opportune time to save big money in buying Winter Clothing. There will be a big difference in your favor in a suit bought now and one bought next fall.

Our Regular \$5.00 Suits, Sale Price.....	\$ 3.75
Our Regular \$6.50 Suits, Sale Price.....	\$ 4.25
Our Regular \$7.00 Suits, Sale Price.....	\$ 4.95
Our Regular \$8.00 Suits, Sale Price.....	\$ 5.95

#### BOYS' OVERCOATS.

Ages 2 to 10 Years.

Our Regular \$2.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....	\$1.65
Our Regular \$2.50 Overcoat, Sale Price.....	\$1.95
Our Regular \$3.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....	\$2.15
Our Regular \$3.50 Overcoat, Sale Price.....	\$2.65
Our Regular \$4.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....	\$2.95
Our Regular \$5.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....	\$3.75

#### LOOM END DEPARTMENT.

Thousands of yards of Loom-End Calicoes, Lights and Darks, Sale Price per yard.....3c

1 Lot Loom-End Staple Checked Gingham, Indigo Dyes, Sale Price per yard.....5c

1 Lot of Loom-End Staple Checked Gingham, Indigo Dyes, a Regular 7 1/2 yds per yd. value, Sale Price per yd....6c

1 Lot of 36 Inches Wide Standard Percals, a Regular 12 1/2 yds

#### LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT.

It may be a long time before you have an opportunity to buy a New Coat Suit or Cloak at anything near the prices we quote here. The values are unmatched and the styles up-to-the-minute.

Our Regular \$16.00 Coat Suits, Sale Price Each.....	\$11.00
Our Regular \$18.00 Coat Suits, Sale Price Each.....	\$12.00
Our Regular \$20.00 Coat Suits, Sale Price Each.....	\$14.00



Our Regular \$15.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$10.95  
Our Regular \$18.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$12.95  
Our Regular \$20.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$13.95  
Our Regular \$22.50 Suits, Sale Price.....\$15.95  
Our Regular \$25.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$17.45

**MEN'S WINTER ODD PANTS.**

Our Regular \$2.50 Odd Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.95  
Our Regular \$3.00 Odd Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.15  
Our Regular \$3.50 Odd Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.50  
Our Regular \$4.00 Odd Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.95  
Our Regular \$5.00 Odd Pants, Sale Price.....\$3.75  
Our Regular \$6.00 Odd Pants, Sale Price.....\$3.95

**JEANS PANTS.**

In small sizes only—31-32-33 Waist.  
Our Regular \$1.00 Jeans Pants, Sale Price.....\$.80  
Our Regular \$1.25 Jeans Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.00  
Our Regular \$1.50 Jeans Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.25  
Our Regular \$1.75 & \$2.00 Jeans Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.50

**WORK COATS.**

Our Regular \$1.50 Work Coat, Sale Price.....\$1.25  
Our Regular \$2.25 Work Coat, Sale Price.....\$1.75  
Our Regular \$2.50 Work Coat, Sale Price.....\$2.15

**BOYS' WINTER KNICKERBOCKER SUITS.**

Our Regular \$3.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$2.45  
Our Regular \$3.50 Suits, Sale Price.....\$2.95  
Our Regular \$4.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$3.15  
Our Regular \$5.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$3.75  
Our Regular \$6.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$3.95  
Our Regular \$7.50 Suits, Sale Price.....\$5.45  
Our Regular \$8.50 Suits, Sale Price.....\$5.95  
Our Regular \$10.00 Suits, Sale Price.....\$6.75

**MEN'S OVERCOATS.**

**Cravenette Coats and Rain Coats.**

Our Regular \$4.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$ 2.95  
Our Regular \$5.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$ 3.45  
Our Regular \$7.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$ 4.95  
Our Regular \$8.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$ 5.75  
Our Regular \$10.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$ 7.45  
Our Regular \$12.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$ 8.95  
Our Regular \$15.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$10.45  
Our Regular \$18.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$12.95  
Our Regular \$20.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$14.45  
Our Regular \$22.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$16.95

Our Regular \$4.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$3.05  
Our Regular \$5.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$3.75  
Our Regular \$6.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$3.95  
Our Regular \$7.50 Overcoat, Sale Price.....4.95  
Our Regular \$8.50 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$5.95  
Our Regular \$12.00 Overcoat, Sale Price.....\$7.95

**BOYS' 3-PIECE SUITS.**

1 Lot of 12 Boys' Suits—Coat, Vest and Long Pants, ages 14-15-16-17 years. Regularly priced at \$5.00 to 10.00. Your Choice of this lot for \$2.50.

**MEN'S CORDUROY PANTS.**

Our Regular \$2.00 Corduroy Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.65  
Our Regular \$2.50 Corduroy Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.95  
Our Regular \$3.00 Corduroy Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.25

**NOTIONS.**

One lot of Adamantine Pins, 200 Pins to the paper, at per paper.....1c  
One Lot of Handy Ironing Wax Cones, at Each.....1c  
Our Lot of Paragon Hair Pins, 16 hair pins to the package, at per package.....1c  
One Lot of Pure White Fish-Eye Pearl Buttons, Assorted Sizes, a good 5c per doz. value, Sale Price per dozen.....2½c  
One Lot of Pure White Plain-faced Pearl Buttons, Assorted Sizes, a good 5c per dozen value, Sale Price per dozen.....2½c  
One Lot of Suprime Pearl Buttons, a good 10c per dozen value, Sale Price per dozen.....5c  
One Lot of Defender Safety Pins, 1 dozen pins to the card, In Solid or Assorted Sizes, Sale Price per card.....2c  
One Lot of Jergen's Jumbo Talcum Powder, a Regular 25c-per-can value, Sale Price per can.....19c  
1 Lot of Jumbo Talcum Powder, the Biggest Package on the Market, For the Price of per can.....10c

**MILLINERY.**

The only consideration in this Department is to sell, at some price every Hat in it. Nothing offered at more than half price. A very small cost will provide you with an up-to-date Hat for yourself or the children.

1 Lot of 28½-Inch Wide Dress Gingham, a Regular 12½c per yd value, Sale Price per yd.....7½c  
1 Lot of Standard 28½-Inch Wide Percale, Lights and Darks, a Regular 8 1-3 cts per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....6½c  
1 Lot of Standard Dark Outings, a Regular 10c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....7½c  
1 Lot of Everet's High-grade Cheviots, Solid Colors and Stripes, the Best 10c per yard value on the market, Sale Price per yard.....8c  
1 Lot of 36 Inches Wide Standard Percals, Lights and Darks, a Regular 10c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....8c  
1 Lot of 36 Inches Wide Dimity, a big 10c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....7½c  
1 Lot of Satin-Striped Crepe, Whites and Blues, a Regular 15c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....10c  
1 Lot of Plaid Suitings, Standard Colorings, a Regular 15c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....10c  
1 Lot of Shepherd Checked Suitings, a Regular 25c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....15c  
1 Lot of 36 Inches Wide Plaid Suitings, a Regular 25c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....19c  
1 Lot of 60-Inch Mercerized Table Damask, a Regular 35c per yard value, Sale Price per yard.....25c  
1 Lot of 68 Inches Wide Mercerized Table Damask, a Regular 50c per yd. value, Sale Price per yd.....39c

**DOMESTICS.**

Hoosier yard-wide Sheeting, at per yard.....5c  
Hope Yard-wide Bleached, at per yard.....7½c

**HANDKERCHIEFS.**

Ladies' Cambrice Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, Sale Price Each.....2c  
1 Lot of Ladies' Seconds in a Regular 15c Embroidered Handkerchiefs, both White and Colored Embroidery. This lot will be divided into 2 lots and sold at each—Lot No. 1 at each 5c, Lot No. 2 at each 8c.  
1 Lot of Men's Cambrice Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, a flyer at Each.....3c  
1 Lot of Men's Regular 5c White Hemstitched Cambric Handkerchiefs, Sale Price Each.....4c  
1 Lot of Men's Regular 10c White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, soft finish, Sale Price Each.....8c

**SHOE DEPARTMENT.**

Space deprives us of an itemized list, but our Shoe Department will contribute all odd lots at a big reduction and 10 per cent reduction on all the Rest.

Our Regular \$32.50 Coat Suits, Sale Price Each.....

**COAT SUIT SPECIALS.**

3 Ladies' Carried-over Coat Suits, Good Staple Styles, values up to \$20.00 per Suit, Sale Price Each.....\$5.00  
5 Ladies' Carried-over Coat Suits of the Famous Palmer make, Values up to \$30.00 per Suit, Sale Price Each.....\$7.50

**LADIES' CLOAKS.**

Here's where your dollars will do double duty in our Ladies' and Children's Cloaks. You can't afford to pass them by.  
Our Regular \$5.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Sale Price.....\$3.45  
Our Regular \$6.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Sale Price.....\$3.75  
Our Regular \$7.50 Ladies' Cloaks, Sale Price.....\$4.45  
Our Regular \$10.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Sale Price.....\$6.95  
Our Regular \$12.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Sale Price.....\$7.95  
Our Regular \$15.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Sale Price.....  
The quantity is limited. Get the first pick.

**CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.**

Ages 2 to 6 years.  
Our Regular \$2.00 Child's Coat, Sale Price.....\$1.65  
Our Regular \$3.00 Child's Coat, Sale Price.....\$1.95  
Our Regular \$3.50 Child's Coat, Sale Price.....\$2.45  
Our Regular \$4.00 Child's Coat, Sale Price.....\$2.75

**MISSSES' CLOAKS.**

Our Regular \$2.00 Misses' Cloaks, Sale Price Each.....\$1.65  
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Our Regular \$3.00 Misses' Cloaks, Sale Price Each.....\$2.15  
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Our Regular \$5.00 Misses' Cloaks, Sale Price Each.....\$3.45  
Our Regular \$7.00 Misses' Cloaks, Sale Price Each.....\$4.45  
Our Regular \$8.00 Misses' Cloaks, Sale Price Each.....\$4.95  
Our Regular \$12.00 Misses' Cloaks, Sale Price Each.....\$7.95

**UNDERWEAR.**

1 Lot of Men's Light-weight, fine worsted Shirts and Drawers, Our Regular \$1.50 value, Sale Price Each.....\$1.00  
1 Lot of Wright's Light-weight Spring Needle Egyptian Cotton Shirts and Drawers, nothing more elegant or better for \$1.00 Each, Sale Price Each.....75c  
1 Lot of Wright's Heavy-weight Spring Needle Shirts and Drawers, a Regular \$1.00 value, Sale Price Each.....75c  
1 Lot of Men's Peeler Union Suits, Heavy-weight, Bought Special for the Sale, they are cheap at Each \$1.00, Sale Price Each.....75c

IT WOULD TAKE quite a volume for us to even give you a smattering idea of the enormity of our showings. Every department will be stripped of every odd lot or item and it will be on the bargain counter for you.

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**BEAVER DAM, KENTUCKY.**



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**North Bound.** South Bound.  
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 No. 102—3:31p.m. No. 131—9:00p.m.  
 J. E. Williams, Agt.

## GERMAN-MOTHERS THE STRONG ARM

**That Upholds Nation, Says  
Hudson Maxim.**

**SIX BABIES ARE BEING BORN  
For Each Victim Killed By  
War—A Bulwark Of  
Preparedness.**

### ANOTHER WAR IS TO FOLLOW

Chicago, Jan. 15.—"Germany's strongest arm is her women. Germans are being born six times as fast as they are being killed. Germany's supply of soldiers cannot be exhausted with such a birth rate."

Hudson Maxim, inventor of rapid-fire guns and gun silencers, author of "Defenseless America," and advocate of extreme military preparedness for the United States, made the above statement as he passed through Chicago.

"German mothers are only a cog in the wonderfully efficient machine with which the Teutonic allies have been able to surprise the world," he said, "but the mother cog has been one of the most important ones for Germany."

"German efficiency is the greatest fact that future histories will relate. That efficiency has been based primarily on conscription—universal military service. It makes for patriotism, because we love those we serve."

"This war should bring home to America her pitiful lack of defenses, and, further still, ought to convince Chicago of the important part it has to play in the future development of our national defenses."

"Almost 90 per cent. of our munition plants, shipbuilding plants, navy yards and Government storehouses are located within a radius of 200 miles around New York, where they could be captured in a two-weeks' intensive campaign by a prepared and efficient enemy."

"These plants, which in time of war would have to feed the muscles of our fighters, should be located around the country in all sections, so that the loss of any one section would not make it impossible for us to keep up the fight."

"Chicago, by reason of its wonderful rail and water communications, is one of the logical centers for a nation-wide chain of arsenals, explosive plants, cartridge factories and storehouses. I should say that Detroit would rank next."

"The history of all wars is that a nation's dangers are as great as her weaknesses, and as great as the temptation to plunder her. Regardless of condemnation, the undeniable fact is that might is the only right that nations know."

"The manufacture of munitions for other nations is helping us get prepared. The new munition plants, which should be retained for our own use, are being paid for by other countries."

"The secret of Germany's success is the ability to mobilize her industries, which in my opinion is far more important than her ability to mobilize her armies. The efficiency of the co-operative system has been proved. Germany has encouraged her private manufacturers of munitions. When war came she was able to call forth the enormous per-

sonal resources and wealth of these industries.

"The pacifists claim that war is the result of overpreparedness. The exact opposite is true. None of the other nations was prepared. Germany was the only one that had perfected her plans of preparation years in advance. Furthermore, Germany is spending all of her money at home, which distantly removes the prospects of exhaustion. When war came Germany had more than 100,000 machine guns on hand. For nine years she paid British arms companies a royalty on 600 machine guns a month. The English failed to see the great use of this weapon."

"I predict that the war will last from three to seven years longer. I also think that the war will end in a draw. I don't believe that either side will come out of the war exhausted either economically or in men. I think they will come out stronger in the end, England maybe poorer, but infinitely more potential. "In spite of the submarine raids on English warships, the submarine has not yet eliminated the dreadnaught and superdreadnaught. England has lost most of its big ships through lack of preparation in destroyers to defend them."

Mr. Maxim is chairman of the Committee on Ordnance and Explosives of the civilian consulting board of the navy. He was asked if the committee was at work on any new inventions.

"We don't need inventions so much. The principal need of the army and the navy is not ideas, but more money to carry out the present excellent ideas that they have decided on. The country should ignore expense for the next three years and start actually preparing. President Wilson's program for preparedness is all right as far as it goes, but it does not go far enough."

"As a matter of fact, Mr. Maxim, will not this war be followed, after a peaceful epoch of preparation, with another great war?" he was asked.

"Right," he replied.

### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Castle Hall, Rough River Lodge No. 110, K. of P., January 11, 1916.

Whereas, it has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from the walks of life and this lodge to the Supreme Lodge on high, Bro. C. M. Barnett, P. C. and K. of R. & S., of this lodge, therefore be it

Resolved, that we point with pride to his life as a husband and father, as a christian gentleman, a neighbor, a public official, a public spirited citizen and a Knight of Pythias. Second, that we bow our heads and hearts in sympathy with his grief-stricken loved ones and point them for consolation to Him who is a friend to the widow and a father to the fatherless.

Third, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this lodge and made a part of the records thereof, a copy delivered to Bro. Barnett's family, a copy furnished each of the local papers for publication and a copy furnished to the Kentucky Pythian for publication.

JNO. B. WILSON,  
J. R. PIRPLE,  
W. H. RHOADS,  
Committee.

Lame back may come from overwork, cold settled in the muscles of the back or from disease. In the two former cases the right remedy is Ballard's Snow Liniment. It should be rubbed in thoroughly over the affected part. The relief will be prompt and satisfactory. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Wilbur Mitchell, Beaver Dam. m

### THERE'S A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SEA AND LAND

Washington, Jan. 15.—Secretary Lansing to-day defined the difference in the position occupied by American citizens on the high seas and American citizens in territory under the sovereignty of a nation. He said:

"The high seas are common territory to every nation. Territory itself always is under the sovereignty of a nation. On the high seas non-combatants, whether neutral or belligerent, have the right to pass to and fro without molestation."

"In territory they have the right to pass to and fro with the consent of the authorities. If it is uncertain who the authorities are, the non-combatant runs the danger of losing his liberty or his life."

### Gen. Huerta Dead.

Gen. Victoriano Huerta, former dictator of Mexico, died at El Paso, Tex., last Thursday. He was the moving spirit in the plot against President Madero. With the overthrow of the latter's government, he took seat as Provisional President. The United States refused to recognize him and in July, 1914, with his resources exhausted, he resigned and fled the country.

## WOMEN SHRINK FROM MODESTY

**Bear Grievous Ailments Rather  
Than Make Conditions  
Known.**

The subject of complaints peculiar to women is a delicate one, yet it is a plain duty to let these sufferers know that most of the derangements from which they suffer are due primarily to nervous debility.

Many a suffering woman, influenced by shrinking modesty, has borne this grievous condition without complaint rather than make a personal appeal. When women say, "I am all run down, so nervous and weak," that means they are victims of the modern malady.

Such women, and they are legion in every community, suffer from headaches, backaches, loss of appetite and sleeplessness. Their spirits are always depressed and their lives are not the normally happy ones of their more fortunate sisters. Often, too, there are spells of nausea, weakness, or even fainting, that make them feel insecure and to wonder when they will be embarrassed, or even in danger, because of their condition.

For such suffering women Tanlac, the tonic, tissue builder, appetizer and invigorant, is ideal. Tanlac builds up the system, promotes digestion and proper assimilation of food, vitalizes the blood and brings back healthy color to the cheeks and real sparkle to the eyes.

Tanlac may now be obtained in Hartford at the Ohio County Drug Co.'s drug store, L. C. Morton & Son, Centertown, Z. Wilbur Mitchell, Beaver Dam, where its merits are fully explained.—[Advertisement.]

### FORDSVILLE.

Jan. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cooper attended the funeral of Mrs. Cooper's sister, Mrs. Shannon, at Bowling Green, last week.

Misses Gladys Holder, of Whitesville, and Sadie St. Clair, of Dundee, are attending the Normal at Fordsville.

Mr. N. B. Smith died Friday night and was buried in the Fordsville cemetery Monday afternoon.

Mr. R. B. Canary's stable burned one night last week. The fire consumed one Jack, Silver Tip, and a lot of feed. Loss partly covered by insurance.

C. B. Carden shipped a carload of stock to the Louisville market Monday.

Mr. Jesse Mason shipped 50 bushels of sunflower seed from here to Louisville Monday at the price of \$1.25 per bushel. It was the first shipped from this place.

Mrs. Lizzie Miller died Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. She had been afflicted for two years with tumor of the stomach. She leaves 4 children—Mr. Dock Miller, of Louisville; Mrs. Clarence Quiggins, of Caneyville; Mr. Lee Miller, of Central City, and Miss Irene Miller, of Fordsville—and a host of friends and relatives. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Sugart, pastor of the M. E. Church, of which she was a member, at 2 o'clock Wednesday. The remains were laid to rest in the Fordsville cemetery by the side of her husband who preceded her several years ago.

### MURDERED MAN'S WIDOW UNDER SERIOUS CHARGE

Bowling Green, Ky., Jan. 15.—The January grand jury returned an indictment against Mrs. Maggie Blake-man Thomas, thirty-five years old, widow of Lawrence Thomas, who, it is charged, was killed on Thursday, December 23, by his brother-in-law, John Blakeman, charging her with being accessory to his murder.

Failing to give a \$1,000 bond she was lodged in the Warren county jail by Sheriff John C. Ray. Blakeman was indicted for the murder of his brother-in-law, Thomas, a few days ago and his trial was set for the April term. He is confined in the county jail. The trial of his sister will be held at the same term of court.

### Death Of Mrs. Mary A. Forbes.

Died, at her home near Fordsville, Ky., at 5:45 o'clock p. m., December 17, 1915, after a lingering illness of stomach trouble and other diseases pertaining to old age, Mrs. Mary Ann Forbes, wife of Edwin Forbes, in the 73d year of her age. Mrs. Forbes was born near Lyonla, Hancock county, Ky., March 16, 1843, and was the oldest daughter of the late Geo. W. and Martha J. Roberts and a sister of J. H. Roberts, of Fordsville, Ky.

In the year 1847 her father moved to a farm at Mt. Pleasant Baptist church, two miles east of Fordsville. She lived on this farm and near it till her death. At the age of 17

years she joined the Baptist church at Mt. Pleasant and for fifty-six years she was a member of this and also the East Fork Baptist church at Jones' Station. For many years she was a Bible teacher in these churches.

November 7, 1869, she married Col. Edwin Forbes. Her husband and her only child, a daughter, survive her. At 11 o'clock a. m. on the 18th ult., her funeral sermon was preached at her home by Rev. H. W. Morton. After service and viewing her remains they were taken to the John B. Haynes graveyard near her home and laid to rest with other deceased members of her father's family.

### APPEAL TO LAND OWNERS —SOME WIRE FENCE TALK

Now is the time while you are not busily engaged in making preparations to plant your crop, to look around and see how much fencing that you are in need of for the year 1916. See how much surplus land you have which is not paying you annually any income at all—land that produces a vast crop of vegetation yearly, from which you fail to reap a profit-sharing for lack of the proper amount of fencing. Now why not change this loss into a profit-sharing to you by letting your stock have this surplus acreage for pasture? This, of course will run your expense bill up just a little at present, but if you will only think for a moment, this really does not mean an expense bill to you, for each rod of good woven-wire fence placed on your farm, adds fully its cost to the valuation of your farm, and this is the only kind we carry in our line. We find that Kitzelman Bros. wire fence, through our several years experience, has given splendid satisfaction throughout, and for their heavy and uniform galvanizing, can not be excelled, this being the life of all wire fencing. We have just added to our wire department a full car of farm and poultry fence, also barbed wire in all weights, which places us in position to furnish you any style fence that you may be in need of, at a very low price. We can save you money if you get our prices before you make your purchase.

ACTON BROS.,  
Hartford, Ky.

### Mistook Medicine—Dead.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 15.—William C. Gobber, 41 years old, a victim of insomnia, picked up a package of Paris green last midnight while reaching in the dark for a bromide, and swallowed the poison before he discovered his mistake. He died to-night at 7:30 o'clock as the result, at the home of his father, Henry Gobber, here. The family did not learn of his condition until four hours after he swallowed the poison.

### Rescued From Cistern.

Fulton, Ky., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Bettie Atherton, wife of J. M. Atherton, a farmer living east of here, fell into a cistern while trying to draw a bucket of water. Her cries for help brought her husband. She managed to catch hold of the chain and save herself from drowning, but, being a large woman, her husband could not pull her out. He called a neighbor to his aid and both fell into the cistern. By the aid of some people who were passing on the road all were rescued. Mrs. Atherton is nearly seventy-five years of age.

For classy job printing—The Herald

### GOOD BACKS FOREBAD

**Hartford Residents Are Learning  
How To Exchange The Old Back  
For a Stronger One.**

Does your back ache, feel weak and painful?

Do you suffer headaches, languor and depression?

Is the urine discolored, passages irregular?

The kidneys may be calling for help.

Weak kidneys cannot do their work.

Give them the help they need.

To cure kidney backache you must cure the kidneys.

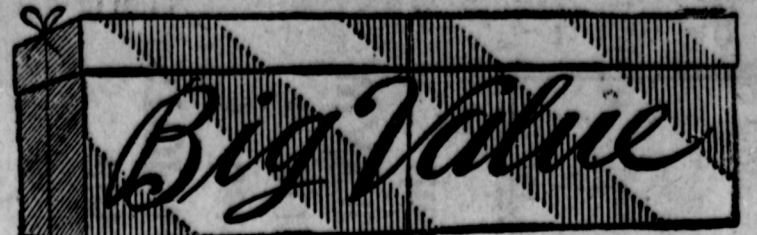
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Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test.

Convincing proof of merit in the following endorsement:

Mrs. Ernest Arnold, 615 W. Broadway, Madisonville, Ky., says: "I had pains across the small of my back and in my sides. I read about the good Doan's Kidney Pills were doing, so I got a box. They quickly cured me and I have had no need of a kidney medicine since."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Arnold had. Foster-Milburn, Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (Advertisement)



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MONEY  
NOW**



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AND YOU WILL GO OUT WITH BIG BUNDLES OF  
OUR SPLENDID GOODS FOR LITTLE MONEY.**

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WHOLE FAMILY AND RIG THEM OUT FROM  
THE TIPS OF BABY'S TINY TOES TO THE  
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Eighteenth Century

### STATE AID LAW IN 1914

In 1908 the General Assembly of Kentucky Passed a Constitutional Amendment Permitting the State to Lend its Credit to the Counties for Roadbuilding and Maintenance.

Frankfort.—Kentucky was one of the first states in the union to establish state aid for road construction. As early as 1810 the General Assembly of Kentucky provided for the opening of roads to the Virginia line and began the construction of macadamized roads in 1820.

Prior to 1840, Kentucky had spent more than \$2,000,000 in the construction of macadamized roads which were built on rights of way sixty feet wide. These roads were located on light grades and easy curves, and were graded twenty-four to thirty feet between ditches. Telford foundations between sixteen and twenty-four feet were used with a good macadam surface. This work was under the supervision of a state engineering department, consisting of a state highway engineer, at a salary of \$5,000 per year, with a corps of assistants at salaries ranging from \$1,100 to \$2,500 per annum. Many of these roads are yet in a splendid state of preservation, and are rendering substantial service to the communities through which they pass.

However, the policy of internal improvement was discontinued prior to 1850, owing to the financial condition of the treasury, and a change in political parties, and it was not until 1908 that any attempt was made to revive a state system of highways.

In 1908 the General Assembly of Kentucky passed a constitutional amendment permitting the state to lend its credit to the counties for roadbuilding, and to provide for the construction and maintenance of public highways.

A highway department was established to consist of the Commissioner of Public Roads and such assistants as the Governor might deem advisable, with an appropriation of not to exceed \$20,000 per annum from the automobile license tax which had been accruing from 1910 as a state road fund.

The department was organized and Robert C. Terrell was appointed the first commissioner. The duties of the department were purely advisory, and while the counties were required to request plans, specifications and estimates of cost for the road and bridge work, which exceeded \$500 in cost, they were not compelled to use the plans and specifications thus prepared. It was not until after the state aid law passed by the General Assembly of 1914 became operative that the state was really in a position to lend material aid to the counties. Although a great deal was accomplished by the commissioner and his assistants prior to 1910, it was only, as stated above, advisory, which in many instances it was hard to get the county officials to take advantage of the engineering assistance offered, but in 1914 the general assembly passed a law levying a five-cent tax on each \$100 worth of taxable property in the state of Kentucky. The law further provided that the money should be distributed to the counties based upon the amount of money levied and collected in each county for roadbuilding, and that no county should receive in any one year more than two per cent of the total road fund. The department immediately set to work in the spring of 1915 to secure the co-operation of the counties in building a system of roads as laid out in the bill passed by the General Assembly, which provided that the roads should connect up the county seat of each county of the Commonwealth with the county seats of the adjoining counties by the most direct and practical route, and the county seats of border counties with the state line on the most direct and practical routes leading from said county seats to the county seats of the adjoining counties in the adjacent states.

Why not nationalize highways as well as national waterways?



Use of concrete bridge used to replace wooden structures. Reinforced concrete slab bridge Frankfort-Versailles road, Frankfort, Ky. Contract price of superstructure \$425.00. Co. pointed masonry by force.

## KENTUCKY'S STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ROADS

(By Hon. James B. McCreary,  
Governor of Kentucky.)

A State Department of Public Roads was advocated by me when I was a candidate for Governor of Kentucky. After I was elected I recommended in my message to the General Assembly the enactment of a law providing for a Department of Public Roads, and an appropriation and a proper and comprehensive act was passed.

The people of Kentucky are in favor of good roads. They know that good roads mean a decrease in the expense of hauling products to market and in getting goods home from the place of purchase. They know that good roads increase the value of farms, mean better access to schools and to churches, and better and more attractive environments.

The Commissioner of Public Roads appointed by me has been active and successful in his organization. He has sent bulletins and literature and has furnished plans



JAS. B. MCCREARY  
Former Governor of Kentucky.

and specifications and estimates of cost for many bridges and made many surveys for sites, assisted in road and bridge building, and the sentiment in favor of good public roads has been greatly strengthened.

The law creating the department set aside from the license tax on automobiles, which constitutes the State Road Fund, the amount which has been necessary to make the road service efficient.

The new road law in Kentucky has met but little opposition, and where it has been given a fair and impartial trial by county officials, and the county road engineers have been given an opportunity to perform their duties unhampered, it has been entirely satisfactory.

The State of Kentucky no doubt will continue the progressive policies so successfully instituted.

A system of good roads is the basis of the country's progress and upon this largely depends its material development and prosperity. Public roads have been compared to the veins and arteries in the human body, by which the circulation is carried on, and when they are clogged, or are not in good condition, the usual functions are impeded and vitally diminished. I am in favor of the United States Government aiding, to a proper extent, in the building of roads. Large amounts of money are appropriated annually by Congress for rivers and harbors, for irrigation and for government buildings, and in the same line Congress should appropriate money to aid in the construction of public roads.

This can never be an ideal country to live in until it is interlaced with a network of highways and the highways so marked as to direct the traveler which road to take to reach his destination.

A man who is opposed to road improvement is worth about as much to a locality as a safety razor is to a colored man at a Georgia picnic.

Never can we have excellent roads until we adopt a patrol system of repair and maintenance.

### BENNETT'S.

Jan. 17.—Ira Allen, of Concord, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McDowell.

Miss Nora Daniel, who has had pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. Will Brown spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McSherry, of Beaver Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maples and little son Cecil Franklin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stewart, of Centertown, recently.

Mr. Leonard Wallace, who has been visiting relatives at Fordsville, has returned home.

Mrs. Tom Wallace has lagrippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carson and little J. L. of Victory, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hibbs, of this neighborhood.

### S. S. CONVENTION OF MISSIONARY BAPTISTS

The Sunday School Convention of the Ohio County Association of Missionary Baptists will meet at Beaver Dam Baptist church, Sunday, Jan. 30, 1916, at 9:45 a. m., with the following program:

9:45 a. m., Devotional exercises and Sunday School hour. 10:30, report of schools and enrollments of messengers. 10:50, Reading minutes and appoint committee on banner. 10:55, Song. 11:00, Doctrinal sermon—Eld. J. N. Jarnagin. Noon—lunch at the church.

1:00 p. m., Song service and prayer. 1:15, How to maintain a Teacher's Training Class—W. M. Fair, W. C. Loyal. 1:35, Can Country Churches maintain an Evergreen Sunday School?—C. M. Taylor, Alvin Ross. 1:55, The need of Education in Religious Work—Eld. G. B. Dockery. 2:10, Song and collection. 2:15, How to maintain a Young Men's Class in Sunday School—Vilas Peters, Eld. R. L. Creal. 2:35, Methods of opening Sunday School—Dr. E. W. Ford, Eld. Birch Shields. 2:55, Sunday Schools and Missions—Eld. A. T. Ross and Eld. Z. Ferrell. 3:15, Business and announcements. 3:30, Adjournment.

The banner of the Convention now held by Rosine Sunday School will be given to the largest delegation. Come and bring your friends to this mid-winter convention. Beaver Dam will gladly entertain all who may come.

R. L. CREAL,  
BIRCH SHIELDS,  
Committee.

### AN OHIO COUNTY BOY HAS SERIOUS ACCIDENT

The Daily Pantagraph, of Bloomington, Ill., has the following notice relative to the injury of Everett Hudson, the 20-year-old son of Mr. Ben Hudson, of Beda. The account of the accident follows:

Everett Hudson, an employee of the B. & N. Heating and Light Company, is the victim of a deplorable accident which happened at the B. & N. plant on South Madison street yesterday forenoon. Mr. Hudson was assisting with the task of "setting out" some cars of coal on the spur track when he in some manner caught his right arm between the bumpers, and it was mashed into shreds. Both bones of the forearm were broken and the flesh mashed into a pulp.

The city ambulance was called and the victim was hurried to Brokaw hospital, where his arm was amputated at a point about three inches below the elbow. Hudson is one of the valued employees of the B. & N. company and the accident is deeply regretted, both by his employers and by his many friends and acquaintances. Reports from his bedside at a late hour last night were that he was resting as well as could be expected.

### HAULING TOBACCO ON SABBATH IS LAWLESS

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 17.—Hauling tobacco to market on Sunday is a shameless and lawless offense, according to the Daviess county grand jury's report, and had this body been able to get sufficient evidence, indictments would have been returned.

"Among several matters called to our attention," says the report, "was the fact that several hundred wagons, loaded with tobacco, are being hauled along our public roads into the city of Owensboro by farmers and delivered to the loose-leaf warehouses on the Sabbath. Such acts are shameless and without excuse."

### Return 100 Indictments.

Whitesburg, Ky., Jan. 15.—Sheriff C. H. Back and several of his deputies raided illegal whiskey and beer resorts in Jenkins and Berdine, in the coal fields, yesterday and last night and made a number of arrests. To further prosecute the whiskey traffic many witnesses were brought before the grand jury here and from the Jenkins section, and as a result about 100 indictments were returned in its report to-day. Investigations will be continued.

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### OLATON.

Jan. 17.—Have had another overflow of Caney. Considerable snow has fallen here.

The death of S. J. Weller caused quite a sensation here.

Mrs. Arena Miller took suddenly very ill Saturday. She is no better this morning and seems to be getting weaker. She is the widow of the late Joseph Miller.

Lagrippe is in nearly every family in this vicinity.

Messrs. E. M. Hoover, Robert Duff and Henry Wilson attended the burial of S. J. Weller at Mt. Vernon.

Miller and Hoover are putting in a lot of ties here. They have bought another boundary of timber of Joe Smith.

C. D. Bean sold Chester Lyons 400 bushels of corn at 50c per bushel. He also sold his flock of geese and turkeys for \$72 to John Wilson. He has quite a lot of chickens yet to sell.

Mr. Albert Baughn, of Chatham, Ill., and Miss Bertha Thomas were married Monday of last week. They left Wednesday for Chatham, where they will make their future home.

### 600 FLOOD REFUGEES ABANDON THEIR HOMES

Hickman, Ky., Jan. 17.—Although perhaps 600 people in West Hickman have abandoned their homes as a precautionary measure in case the levee should break, it is believed here to-night that the flood situation is well in hand and no further damage from the rise of the Mississippi is expected. The Kentucky hills are harboring refugees from the lowlands in Missouri on the west bank of the river. There are probably fifty Missouri flood sufferers being cared for here. Tents which have been shipped from the State Arsenal at Frankfort by Maj. Gen. Tandy Ellis are expected to arrive in the morning. A close watch is being kept on the levee.

### For Cutting Gasoline.

Washington, Jan. 17.—A new and drastic method for lowering the price of gasoline was proposed in a House resolution introduced to-day by Representative Ben Johnson, chairman of the District of Columbia Committee. Mr. Johnson proposes that the manufacturer of gasoline shall pay a tax of \$1 per gallon on all of his product sold at a price above 15 cents per gallon.

While other House members are talking of investigating the "Gasoline Trust" the Kentuckian believes the situation may be met speedily by the levy of an internal revenue tax that will prohibit absolutely the sale of the product at the present excessive prices. His proposed tax would fall on the original seller of the gasoline and would mean that no manufacturer could ask more than 15 cents for the fluid when sold to the dealer.

"I believe that fifty to seventy-five men in this House have told me they would vote for such a bill," said Mr. Johnson. "If the bill is reported from the Ways and Means Committee I think it will pass and it should pass."

### FATHER OF THIRTY CHILDREN SUES ROAD

Barbourville, Ky., Jan. 17.—J. T. Fuson, father of thirty children, is a plaintiff in the Knox Circuit Court. Fuson is suing the Cumberland railroad claiming he was injured when a freight train backed into a passenger coach on the Brush Creek line. Fuson, a native of the Brush Creek section of Knox county, is fifty-nine years old and has been married three times. Of the thirty children twenty-two are living. This is believed to be the record for Kentucky.

### Little Baby Smothers.

Pars, Ky., Jan. 17.—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill, two months old, was found dead Sunday morning. The family of Mr. Hill, who is an employee of the Louisville and Nashville railroad here, resides on Railroad street. The parents retired Saturday night with the baby and another child, all in the same bed. Mrs. Hill awoke about 3 o'clock in the morning and found that the infant had slipped down into the middle of the bed and had smothered to death.

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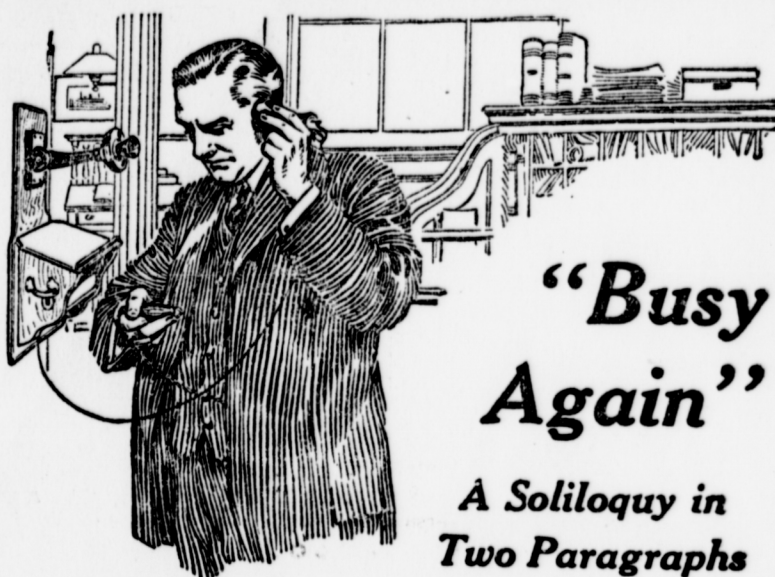
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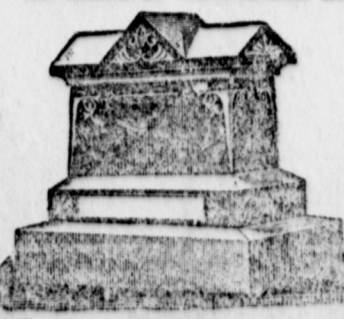
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If you find it impossible to attend this great sale, let our Mail-order Clerk do your shopping. Send money by registered letter, post-office money-order or your personal check. We pay postage on all purchases amounting to \$1.00 or over. TRY OUR RELIABLE MAIL-ORDER DEPARTMENT.

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500 Men's and Boys' Raincoats.  
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1200 Suits for Men.  
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#### BOYS' DORMITORY AT ONEIDA SCHOOL BURNS

Lads Who Occupied Building Without Shelter and Forced to Leave.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 12.—The boys' dormitory at Oneida Institute, the noted college for mountain children established by the Rev. J. A. Burns, in Clay county, was burned to the ground at 4 o'clock p. m. yesterday and the fifty boys who occupied it are without shelter and will probably have to go home until new quarters can be erected.

The building was the first ever constructed at the college, it having been made from planks taken from the lofts of mountain cabins, which their owners contributed, and put up by volunteers from among the mountain people. Mr. Burns was in this city, where he had spoken in the interest of the college last night when the news of the fire was received. He said the loss would be about \$3,000, and he did not know whether there was any insurance or not. The first news of the disaster received here was in a short telegram from Percy Davidson, secretary of the institution, to Miss Margaret LeCompte, of this city.

"The building served as our first recitation room for two years," said Mr. Burns. "It was afterward transformed into a dormitory for boys and had twenty-four rooms, ten feet square each. There were about fifty boys in it. With the furnishings it was worth about \$3,000. I do not know whether there was any insurance or not. The boys must go home unless they can be farmed out among residents of Oneida, which is not likely. Many of them have been sleeping three in a bed."

Mr. Burns will not return to Oneida at present. He had just started on a tour in behalf of funds for the college and will continue his journey. He will go from here to Cleveland and then to Chicago.

#### Starting Again.

Two freshmen, long enemies, met one day. Said one:

"What's the sense ay two intelligent min goin' along, year after year, like a couple of wild cats spit-

tin' at each other? Here we live in the same tinimint, and 'tis a burnin' shame that we do be actin' like a couple of boobies. Come along wid ye and let's be friends."

Which they did, and went to an adjacent public house to cement their friendship with a glass of grog.

Both stood at the bar in silence. One looked at the other and said: "What are ye thinkin' about?"

"O'im thinkin' the same thing that you are."

"So ye're startin' agin, are ye?"

#### How To Cure Colds.

Avoid exposure and drafts. Eat right. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar, healing balsams and mild laxatives. Dr. King's New Discovery kills and expels the cold germs, soothes the irritated throat and allays inflammation. It heals the mucous membrane. Search as you will, you cannot find a better cough and cold remedy. Its use over 45 years is a guarantee of satisfaction.

#### Advertisement

#### No Use!

"Now, Tommy," reprimanded his mother, "don't let me catch you throwing any more stones."

"Well, what will I do when the other fellows throw 'em?" asked Tommy.

"Just come in and tell me," his mother replied.

"Tell you!" he exclaimed, in astonishment. "Why, you couldn't hit the broad side of a barn!"

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[H. B. Smith, San Francisco, Cal., Jan., 1915.] At all druggists.

#### Advertisement

There are twice as many people in the United States as in 1880, three times as many as at the outbreak of the Civil War and five times as many as in 1849. The increase between 1910 and 1915 is said to have been equal to the entire population at the time of the revolution.

#### MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky. C. L. Webster, Plaintiff, vs. G. B. Foreman, et al., Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the October term, 1915, in the above cause for the sum of \$225.00, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 23d day of April, 1913, until paid and costs herein, I will offer for sale by public auction at the court house door in Hartford, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1916, about one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property, to-wit:

A tract of land in Ohio county, Kentucky, bounded as follows: Beginning at a gum and two hickories, N. W. corner to J. L. Cobb's land; thence W. 23 poles to a black oak in John Robertson's line and corner to James Free and corner to lot No. 5; thence N. 127 poles to a stone and walnut on the Huff Creek and Pattiesville road; thence with said road N. 45 poles to a stone in F. M. Wilson's line; thence N. 44 1/2 poles to a stone and sassafras in F. M. Bailey's line; thence E. 68 poles to a stone in the original line; thence S. 171 1/4 poles to the beginning, containing thirty-seven acres, more or less.

The above boundary is recorded in Deed Book No. 19, page 182, Ohio County Clerk's office, being the same land conveyed by C. L. Webster, et al., to G. B. Foreman by and dated April 23, 1913, and of record in Ohio County Clerk's office, Deed Book —, page —, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale.

This 15th day of January, 1916. E. E. BIRKHEAD, Master Commissioner. 313 Barnes & Smith, Attorneys.

#### Master Commissioner's Sale.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky. Ernest Wilson, et al., Plaintiffs, vs. Mary Wilson, et al., Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the June term, 1915, in the above cause for the sum of \$462, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 4th day of December, 1909, until paid, and costs herein, I will offer for sale by public auction at the court house door in Hartford, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1916, about one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Certain tracts of land in Ohio county, Kentucky, bounded as follows: Beginning at a beech and hoop ash about 40 poles below the mouth of Caney creek, on the north

side of Rough creek; thence up the same with its meanders to Samuel Crawford's lower corner on Rough creek, being two beeches; thence with Crawford's line N. 20 E. 22 poles to an ash and beech on bank of a gutter; thence N. 30 W. 69 poles to two beeches; thence W. to a stake in one of the original lines of the 3,000 acre survey; thence S. to the beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to Pinkney Petty by James Fitzhugh by a certain bond dated May 17, 1853, and assigned to Ansel Wilson by Pinkney Petty on May 15, 1878. Neither said bond or assignment are of record; the said party of the first part claiming said land by open, notorious, actual, adverse, peaceable possession since the year 1878.

Also another tract or parcel of land lying and being in Ohio county, Kentucky, on the north side of Rough Creek near the mouth of Caney creek and known as the Pate land and bounded and described as follows: On the North by the lands of Calvin Davidson; on the South by the tract of land hereinbefore described, which is known as the Fitzhugh land, cornering on Rough creek; on the East by the lands of Thomas Smith, and on the West by the lands of Ed Davidson, containing 59 1/2 acres, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to Ansel Wilson by John P. Barrett, Master Commissioner of the Ohio Circuit Court by deed dated June 17, 1886, and of record in Commissioner's Deed Book "C", page 466, Ohio County Clerk's office.

Also another tract or parcel of land in Ohio county, Kentucky, lying on the south side of the Hartford and Hardinsburg road and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone, corner to land of F. M. Duncan and in line of Cal Davidson; thence S. 87 1/2 E. 18 poles to an ash; thence S. 26 E. 17 1/2 poles to a beech, Ansel Wilson's corner; thence with Thomas J. Smith's line to the Hartford and Hardinsburg road; thence with said road westward to line of F. M. Duncan; thence southerly with F. M. Duncan's line to the beginning. Being same land conveyed to Ansel Wilson by F. M. Duncan and wife by deed dated November 13, 1907, and of record in

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Johnson—I'm glad you mentioned it. It is to remind me to ask you for the five I lent you a month ago!

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